

Bridlemile Friday Flyer

September 22, 2023

This is the place for all current news from Bridlemile school. Please make sure to read your Friday Flyer every week!

Important Dates to Remember:

9/27: School Picture Day
10/4: Charleston Wrap Fundraiser Begins (runs through 10/18)
10/4: Bike and Roll to School Day
10/6: PTA Family Game Night/Harvest Fest
10/13: In-Service Day- No School for Students
10/17: PTA General Meeting

Get Bridlemile Calendar Updates Here!

Add our calendar to your calendar! Click the link symbol on the top right of the Bridlemile calendar for iCal feed instructions.

Bridlemile Art Class



2nd grade students used oil pastels to create colorful representations inspired by the work of Corita Kent.



4th grade students began step 1 of their line drawings of flowers. Next week they will add watercolor washes to their drawings.



5th grade students dove into tempera cakes with impressionistic representations of the flowers.

Bridlemile News

Dear Bridlemile Families,

Last spring, I was eager to share with you the news Bridlemile received from the PPS Office of Teaching and Learning Department regarding our **iReady curriculum embedded math scores**.

Bridlemile was noted as one of the schools where students demonstrated **high performance** relative to the national norm and **high typical growth**. We were encouraged by this news because we were intentional in our focus on math and the alignment of our instructional practices.

I'd like you to know that we have seen the **same growth in our math scores demonstrated on the Oregon State Assessments**, an annual assessment that students in grades 3-5 take at the end of the school year. I am proud of what our students and staff accomplished last year and continue to build on this year.

PPS will be mailing home Oregon State Assessment individual student reports home next week. I will have more school level reporting to share in the weeks to come and plan to provide more information about the why and how we use assessment data to inform our instructional practice. If you have any questions regarding your child's statewide assessment report in the meantime, please contact me at khu@pps.net.

Let's keep up the good work together!

Sincerely,
Katherine

November Parent/Teacher Conferences

Mark your calendars: November 20 and November 21st are no student school days. The days are held for daytime and evening Parent/Teacher Conferences. We encourage families to sign up for a time to discuss your child's progress at school.

Look for Parent/Teacher November Conference electronic sign up sheets to come from your teacher this Tuesday, September 27th. Families will have the choice between an in-person meeting at Bridlemile School or a virtual online parent/teacher conference.

Outdoors Every Day!

As the weather changes, we'd like to remind students to bring their jackets to school.

LOST & FOUND

Students have GrowPortland garden lessons and also go outside for recess every day, so a jacket with a hood is a great idea. Please label the inside of the jacket with your child's name.

Speaking of jackets, what happened to the Lost and Found? The lost and found has relocated down the hallway near the gym.

Multilingual Language Family Support

PPS provides language support to families to communicate with schools regarding attendance, achievement, behavior, assessment, evaluation, registration, parent /teacher conferences, special instruction, disciplinary matters.

Families can call for free to connect with a PPS Language Access Team Member in the following languages:

Español | Spanish (503) 916-3582

中文 | Chinese (503) 916-3585

Русский | Russian (503) 916-3583

Soomaali | Somali (503) 916-3586

Tiếng Việt | Vietnamese (503) 916-3584

Important Date Change For 5th Grade Leadership:

In observance of Yom Kippur, 5th Grade Leadership will hold its first meeting on Wednesday, September 27th instead of on Monday, September 25th.

Time and location will stay the same.

Bridlemile School Counselor Newsletter!

Twice a month the Bridlemile Counseling Team sends out information about what we are doing, books we are reading and upcoming events. For more information click on the link below:

Bridlemile Counselor Corner Newsletter

Community Survey and Feedback!

We want to hear from everyone! Please share your thoughts about School Supply Drop Off and our Back to School/Curriculum Night!

	Back to School Night! Your thoughts will help us make plans for next year!	
	All answers are anonymous (unless you want to add your email address at the end).	
	* Indicates required question	
	My child is in the following grade(s): *	

Community Survey and Feedback

Hello! Thank you for taking a few minutes to fill out this community wide survey about our school processes. We would love to get your feedback about the new school supplies drop off this year and Back to School Night! Your thoughts will help us make plans for next year!

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Family Game Night

The PTA is hosting Family Game Night on Friday Oct 6th (start time tbd). Featuring a Chili Cook-Off! Please email catherinestacy@gmail.com for details to enter the cook-off by Oct 3rd. We hope you can all join us for this free event to kick off the new year!

Sign up to be a volunteer! Sign ups <https://signup.com/go/xLTmEUw>

Family Game Night

Family Game Night Flyer

Walk and Bike to School Day

International Walk + Roll to School Day is fast approaching on October 4th. Join Safe Routes to School in celebrating walking and rolling to school with students around the globe. Grab your walking shoes, skateboard, bike or other wheels and kick off the school year by getting outside and exploring a route to your school. Look for more details about some giveaway items and activities next week!

The PTA would like to know more about how your Beagle(s) get to and from school each day. Please take this survey (<https://forms.gle/LUDaAouywZJxnNFx5>) so that the PTA can tailor the activities accordingly. The survey will not collect any email addresses or any other personally identifiable information.

If we get at least 50 responses by October 4th there will even be a drawing for a \$10 Amazon gift card! Any questions can be sent to [David Stein](#).

Office Hours with Principal Hu

Friday, September 29th, 3:00pm-3:30pm

Did you read the Friday Flyer and have questions? Have a question about Bridlemile?

Drop in to my open Google Meet: meet.google.com/fyg-qxue-ntv, from 3:00-3:30pm! You can also just say HI!

Community News

Screenagers Preview Party RSVP

"Screenagers" is a thought-provoking documentary that explores the impact of screen time on our students' lives. As educators and leaders in the field of education, we believe that this film can provide valuable insights into the challenges our students face and the role technology plays in their academic and social development. Please join us on Oct. 18th from 4:30-6:30 at PEC's Boardroom for this complimentary viewing of Screenagers while considering the impact this movie could have on your own community.

Due Date/Event Date 10/18/2023

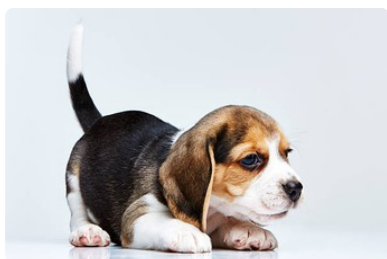
[Screenagers Preview Party RSVP - Oct. 18th](#)

[About Screenagers](#)

District Flyers

- VIBE of Portland [Art Camps & Classes](#)
- [Maplewood Tennis After School Zone](#), Sep. 19 - Nov. 14
- Oregon Health Insurance Marketplace [Open Enrollment begins Nov. 1](#)

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Bridlemile Elementary School Website

All Friday Flyer messages are archived on the Bridlemile elementary school website.

Questions, comments or feedback about this newsletter? Just hit reply or email us at Bridlemile-Office@pps.net.



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